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SSI-00700

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	Group Art Unit: 1763
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Maximilian A. Biberger <i>et al.</i>	)	Examiner: Ram N. Kackar
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Serial No.: 09/704,641	)	<b>AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO</b>
	)	<b>OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON</b>
Filed: November 1, 2000	)	<b>May 19, 2004</b>
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For: <b>METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR</b>	)	
<b>SUPERCRITICAL PROCESSING</b>	)	162 North Wolfe Road
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Sir:

These amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on May 19, 2004.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 8 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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